

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 3305 OF 2023

Maruti Vishwambhar Gavali ...Petitioner

Versus

The State of Maharashtra & Ors. ...Respondents

Mr. A.K. Singh, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Ms. Supriya Kak, APP for the Respondent – State.

**CORAM : RAVINDRA V. GHUGE
&
RAJESH S. PATIL, JJ.**

DATE : 6th JANUARY, 2025

P.C. :-

1. We have heard the learned Advocate for the Petitioner and the learned APP. We have perused the order dated 19th August, 2023, passed by the learned Judicial Magistrate, First Class, Pandharpur. The complaint tendered by the Petitioner was returned to him to approach the appropriate forum. The Petitioner has not acted in furtherance of the said direction of the learned JMFC, Pandharpur.

2. In view of the above, this **Writ Petition is disposed off**, since the Petitioner has the option as directed by the learned JMFC, Pandharpur.

3. All contentions of parties are kept open.

(RAJESH S. PATIL, J.)

(RAVINDRA V. GHUGE, J.)